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Hamilton of Wall St. Due to Replace Dulles

Fowler Hamilton, a Wall Street lawyer, has been chosen to succeed Allen W. Dulles as director of the Central Intelligence Agency, according to Newsweek magazine.

Hamilton, 50, will shortly move into an office in the CIA and work with Dulles for the rest of the summer, Newsweek says in its current issue, appearing Tuesday. Hamilton will take over the top job at the CIA in October, the story says.

Hamilton, a Democrat, has been in and out of government service for the past 20 years, notably as chief legal counsel to the Justice Department and as wartime chief of the enemy branch of the Board of Economic Warfare. He is a partner in the New York law firm of Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen and Hamilton.

A native of Kansas City, Mo., he attended the University of Missouri before going to Oxford as a Rhodes scholar.